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In re Application of:
Sengupta, et al

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Serial No. 10/812,450

Examiner: Menon, Krishnan S.

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For: THREE PORT HIGH PERFORMANCE MINI
HOLLOW FIBER MEMBRANE CONTACTOR**DECLARATION UNDER RULE 132**

I, Amitava Sengupta, declare:

1. I am a named inventor in the above captioned application.
2. I have a Masters of Technology in Chemical Engineering from the Indian Institute of Technology and a PhD in Chemical Engineering from the Stevens Institute of Technology.
3. I have over 22 years of experience in the manufacture and use of membrane contactors.

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